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DISTRIBUTED DATA BASE MANAGEMENT SYSTEMS

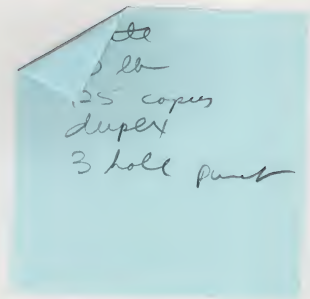
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OBJECTIVES

- ⊙ **Examine the state of:**
Distributed Data Base Management Technology
Current & Future Applications
- ⊙ **Explore the Impact of DDBMS on:**
Systems Integration
Information Systems (IS) Strategy

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OVERVIEW

- ⊗ **Motivating Forces**
- ⊗ **DDBMS - A Practical Definition**
- ⊗ **State of the Technology**
- ⊗ **Early Applications**
- ⊗ **Opportunities and Issues**
- ⊗ **Impacts**

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DOMINANT TRENDS

- ⊗ **Continuing Movement to Distributed Processing**
- ⊗ **Increasing Sophistication of End Users**
- ⊗ **IS Requirements for Control**
- ⊗ **Integration of Office & Departmental Systems**
- ⊗ **Maturation of Relational Data Base Technology**
- ⊗ **Growing Sophistication of Network Technology**

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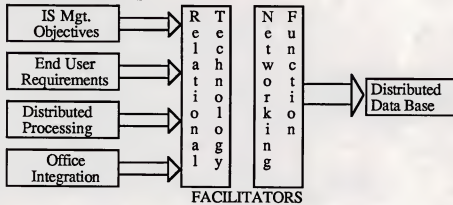
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INFLUENCING FACTORS

BUSINESS TRENDS



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DEFINING A DISTRIBUTED DATA BASE SYSTEM

- A Collection of Data Bases
- On Interconnected Computers
- Where:
 - Individual DBMSs Manage Data Relationships Locally
 - The Distributed DBMS Manages Data Relationships Between Systems

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CHARACTERISTICS OF A DDBMS

- ⊗ **Distributed Query and Update Capability**
- ⊗ **Network Data Management**
- ⊗ **Elimination of Redundant Data Storage**
- ⊗ **Platform Independence**
- ⊗ **End User Transparency**

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COMPONENTS OF A DDBMS

Level 4

Application/
Development Tools

Level 3

DDBMS

Gateways

Level 2

Network
Communications

Level 1

Relational Data Base

Transaction
Processing

Active Data
Dictionary

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HOMOGENOUS AND HETEROGENOUS SYSTEMS

- **Homogenous Systems**

Common DBMS on Multiple Platforms

- **Heterogenous System**

Support Multiple DBMSs

Multiple Platforms

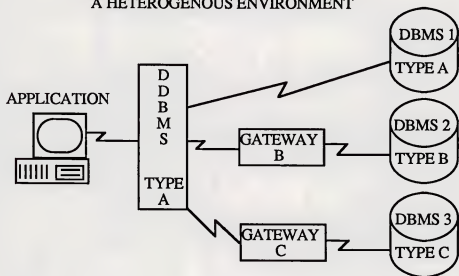
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A HETEROGENOUS ENVIRONMENT



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AN EXAMPLE:

ORDER ENTRY/SHIPPING/INVOICING

- ⊙ **The Data Is Distributed Across Three Computers**
- ⊙ **The Functions Are Performed At Separate Sites**
- ⊙ **Each Application Draws On Local & Distributed Data**
- ⊙ **The Data Is Distributed, The Application Integrated**

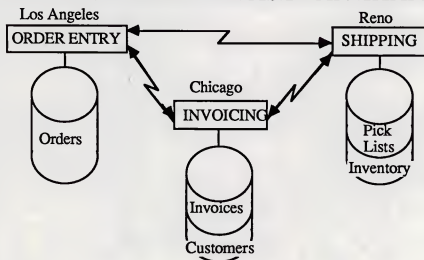
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DISTRIBUTED DATA BASE - AN EXAMPLE



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STATE OF THE TECHNOLOGY

- **Status of Current Vendor Offerings**
- **Positions of Other Vendors**
- **Overview of Functional Capabilities**

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CURRENT VENDOR OFFERINGS

VENDOR	RELATIONAL PRODUCT	DISTRIBUTED PRODUCT
ADR	DATAKOM	D/NET
ORACLE	ORACLE	SQL*Star
RELATIONAL TECHNOLOGY	INGRES	INGRES/STAR
SYBASE	SYBASE	SYBASE
TANDEM	NonStop SQL	NonStop SQL

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POSITIONS OF OTHER VENDORS

- ⊙ IBM Offering Likely by Late 1989 (DB2)
- ⊙ DEC Announcement Anticipated By Year End
- ⊙ CINCOM, CULLINET & SOFTWARE AG All Indicated Products Under Development

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CURRENT FUNCTIONAL CAPABILITIES

- ⊙ **Based On Relational Models**
- ⊙ **Contain SQL Interfaces**
- ⊙ **Active Integrated Data Dictionaries**
- ⊙ **Have (Or Will Have) Gateways**

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LIMITATIONS

**Current Implementations Although Usable
Have Some Restrictive Limitations**

- ⊙ **Update Processing Only At A Single Location**
- ⊙ **Gateways Largely Still Under Development**
- ⊙ **Availability of Global Data Dictionaries**
- ⊙ **Data Replication Functions Missing**
- ⊙ **STAR Capability Not Available On All Major Platforms**

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USER SURVEY RESULTS

- ⊙ **Reflect Introductory Status of the Technology**
- ⊙ **Identified IS and User Management Issues**
- ⊙ **Forecast A Future User Requirement for Distributed Capabilities**
- ⊙ **Identified Three Early Applications**

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EARLY APPLICATIONS

INDUSTRY	APPLICATION
PHILIPS PETROLEUM	PURCHASING/INVENTORY CONTROL
CITICORP	SECURITIES ACCOUNT MANAGEMENT
CARNEGIE MELLON	STUDENT INFORMATION SYSTEM

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TECHNICAL ISSUES

- ⊗ **Data Modeling**
- ⊗ **Replicated Data Maintenance**
- ⊗ **Security and Recovery Processes**
- ⊗ **Processing Performance**
- ⊗ **Data Communications Capabilities**
- ⊗ **Design and Implementation Processes**

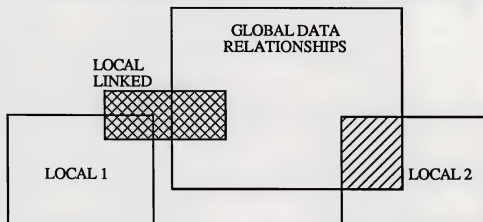
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DATA RELATIONSHIP MANAGEMENT



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MANAGERIAL ISSUES

- **Status of Relational Technology**
- **Corporate Policy on Data Management**
- **User Maturity**
- **User Independence**

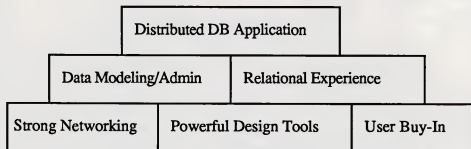
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SUCCESSFUL IMPLEMENTATIONS



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INPUT'S VIEWS

- ⊗ **Powerful New Technology - Significant Impact
Missing Component in Decentralization
Supports Multiple Management Objectives**
- ⊗ **Usable Today - Maturing Over Next Five Years**
- ⊗ **Strategic Implications For IS Management**

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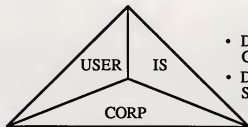
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THREE VIEW POINTS

- Local Autonomy
- Transparency



- Distributed Control
- Data Synchronization

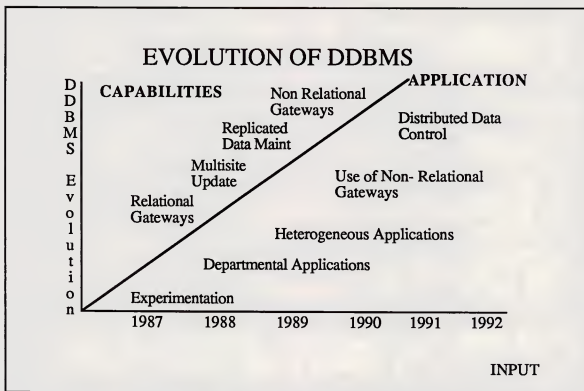
- Balanced Distribution
- Reduced Redundancy
- Ease of Access

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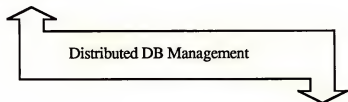
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STRATEGIC IMPLICATIONS FOR IS

Vehicle for Integration



Or, Controlled Decentralization

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